REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants thank the Examiner for his careful review of this application. Claims 4, 5, and 6 have been cancelled. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the above amendment and the following remarks submitted in support thereof.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. §102:

The Examiner, in the Final Office Action rejected claims 4-6 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b), as being anticipated by Oberman et al. (US Pat. 6,298,367). In response, Applicants submitted an Amendment on June 22, 2005. However, the Examiner, in the advisory action, asserted that the Amendment inserts new features, which require further consideration and search from the Examiner. Although the Applicants believe the Amendment does not insert new features, the Applicants cancelled claims 4-6 to expedite the prosecution of this application.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-3 and 7 are allowed.

Conclusion

The claims pending are all allowed claims. Accordingly, a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested. If the Examiner has any questions concerning the present Amendment, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at (408) 774-6926. If any additional fees are due in connection with filing this Amendment, the Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. SUNMP285). A duplicate copy of the transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

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